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27 May 1948

The Honorable Styles Bridges  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator:

After a very complete investigation of both instruments and personnel, I can assure you most completely and honestly that no one in the Central Intelligence Agency has installed any of the apparatuses you spoke of yesterday or in any way has made any effort to tap any of the lines of any people in the Senate or House.

I can assure you also that the investigation will be continued to see who may have made such installations and, further, to see that none of our people are ever engaged in that activity.

Sincerely,

Signed RHH - Del. by hand W. Pforzheimer  
27 May 1948

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Director of Central  
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